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before the public at the State Fair, to show what they're doing as far as the education that they receive in that field. So it is important to the youth of this state. It isn't just all for fun and games. A lot of things that... I've been going to the State Fair for many, many years. I served awhile on the State Fair Board. But I came there a long time before I ever served on the board, because I'm interested in the fair, I'm interested in youth. I had children that brought projects up to the State Fair, as 4-H. So it's important. I think it's terribly important for us to remember what the State Fair is about. Sure it's about a good time, it's about going out and meeting your friends and having a gathering of people across this state from one end to the other. But it's also an opportunity for the youth of this state to be able to show with pride the things that they've done through the year, that we can take a look at and understand what our youth are all about. So to me, that is a key to the fair, the future of the fair. The reason I'm excited about the fair now is because we've got some people who are willing to step forward on the foundation and say, yes, we think the fair is important in Nebraska, we're willing to spend our time and our energy in trying to make the fair once again successful. The complete rearrangement of the fair was a positive thing. It was a positive thing from the standpoint that several new members came on the board. We got rid of the overload of members, who did a lot of work, by the way, did a lot of work at the fair, and some of them have pledged to continue to do that, even though they're not on the fair board anymore. They're so interested in the future of that fair, they're willing to come. Personally, I am too. I'm willing to come up and spend some time with the State Fair, doing the things that need to be done to continue to make it successful.

SPEAKER BROMM: One minute.

SENATOR VRTISKA: A lot of volunteer time is spent, and I think that's important for you to understand. And the reason it's spent is because those people believe in what this fair stands for, and want to see it continued. As Senator Wehrbein indicated earlier, it is important to the state of Nebraska. And all we're asking in this particular bill is for you to say, yes, if you want to contribute a dollar more on your refund of